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Applicant(s) : Guido Schroeder et al.
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For : **META OBJECT FACILITY COMPLIANT INTERFACE
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AMENDMENT IN REPLY TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION OF JANUARY 12, 2007

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed January 12, 2007, Applicants respond
as follows:

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.

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